BEFORE THE POSTAL RATE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

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POSTAL RATE COMMISSION OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

(POSTAL RATE & FEE CHANGES)

Docket No. R97-1

NOTICE OF INTERVENTION OF CTC DISTRIBUTION SERVICES, L.L.C. AS A LIMITED PARTICIPATOR

CTC Distribution Services, L.L.C. ("CTC") hereby gives notice of its intervention in the above-captioned proceeding as a limited participator in accordance with Section 20a of the Commission's Rules of Practice, 39 C.F.R. # 3001.20a.

Documents related to this proceeding should be served on the following:

John Clark CTC Distribution Services, L.L.C. 2160 Mustang Drive St. Paul, MN 55112-1553

CTC is a major user of the United States postal system and thus has an interest in the proposed Rate and Fee and Postal Classification changes that have given rise to this proceeding. CTC ships nearly one hundred million parcels with the United States Postal Service. In promoting and marketing its services, it is one of the nation's leading D.B.M.C. parcel shippers.

CTC's intervention as a limited participator in this proceeding is necessary to ensure that its interests are adequately represented. While CTC has not yet formulated a position on all issues that may arise in this proceeding, and

thus reserves all rights, CTC nevertheless supports efforts to reach a settlement on as many such issues as possible, and does not at this time contemplate taking a full and active role in this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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